

HOUSE No. 1408

By Mr. Spellane of Worcester, petition of Robert P. Spellane relative to the use of safety helmets for persons sixteen years of age and under while operating alpine skis and snowboards. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE USE OF SAFETY HELMETS FOR PERSONS SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND UNDER WHILE OPERATING ALPINE SKIS AND SNOWBOARDS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 11B½ of chapter 85 of the General Laws,
2 inserted by section 2 of chapter 330 of the acts of 2004, is hereby
3 amended by inserting after the words “skate board” the following
4 words: “alpine skis” and “snowboards”.

1 SECTION 2. The first paragraph of section 11D of said
2 chapter 85, as amended, by section 3 of said chapter 330, is
3 hereby further amended by inserting after the words “skate
4 boards” the following words: “alpine skis” and “snowboards”.